

Public Service Announcement

The City of Titusville would like to address some misinformation that is circulating on social media regarding the new refuse contract starting in July.

The City ordinance regarding refuse collection has been in effect since 1963 and has been limited to three thirty gallon containers up until the last five year contract which did not follow the ordinance. Unlimited collection causes problems not only for the haulers but for the City as well. Garbage trucks max out their load before all residents trash has been picked up and it invites non-residents to bring trash from outside the City for pick-up.

The bid package that was put out by the City was for limited pick-up for all companies bidding, none of the options were for unlimited pick-up.

The 96 gallon toter/can or 100 gallon limit on trash is more than you may think. Please refer to the attached image of containers for reference. If you consider that many kitchen trash cans hold a 13-gallon bag, you can fit about 8 of those in the 96 gallon can/week. You are not required to have the one can you can also have two of the 45 gallon containers or a combination of containers that are no more than the 100 gallon limit.

Recycling is required in the City of Titusville by state law. If a household is not recycling this can create more trash if you are mixing it with garbage. Cardboard, paper, glass, plastic, and metal should all be put in a separate recycling container and set out with your trash.

If you have questions or concerns regarding the new refuse regulations please call the City Manager at 814-827-5300 ext. 314.